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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Dear Mr. Hamilton:

We have been in contact with the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (UDOGM), and we understand that you have submitted to them a financial guarantee in the amount of \$15,720, to be broken down as follows:

UTU-079464 (Tejon #1 and Tejon #2) \$6,930  
UTU-079464-01 (Red Gulch) \$8,790

On October 16, 2003, the Utah State Office of the BLM sent you a Notice requiring that you submit a financial guarantee of \$9,550 for the Red Gulch Quarry, which exceeds the amount you submitted to UDOGM by \$760.00. On the same date, we sent you a letter enclosing a reclamation cost estimate of \$12,070 for the Tejon #'s 1 and 2 quarries, which exceeds the amount you submitted to UDOGM by \$5140.00. Since you are currently preparing a Large Mine Plan (Plan) and it is anticipated that upon approval of the Plan you will be revising the amount of the financial guarantee and the amounts submitted are sufficient to reclaim the disturbances currently on the ground, we will consider the amounts adequate unless you fail to submit the Plan to UDOGM by the deadline date of January 5, 2004. At the time of approval of the Plan, we will review the revised reclamation cost estimate to determine if the amount complies with our regulations.

Also, in our October 16, 2003 letter, we informed you that the exploration notice you submitted to UDOGM as an amendment to UTU-079464 was incomplete since it didn't include a reclamation cost estimate. With the submission of the \$6,930 financial guarantee to UDOGM, we are considering the amendment complete, and will resume

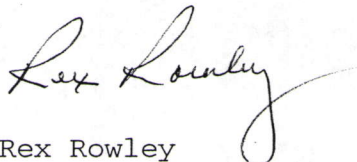


processing it. However, since the financial guarantee submitted to UDOGM did not include reclamation of the Serendipity Quarry, we will retain the \$1375.00 financial guarantee submitted by Larry Dutson until a replacement bond is submitted. Also, when we receive a copy of the Large Mine Plan, we will consider it an amendment to Plan of Operations UTU-079464-01 and process it accordingly.

We also remind you the financial guarantee for the North Canyon Quarry (UTU-078279) is due soon. The Utah State Office of the BLM sent you a notice on October 16, 2003 requiring that you submit \$12,110 to them within 60 days of receipt, or your mining notice will expire and you must begin reclamation within 30 days of the missed deadline. Since we anticipate that, by January 5, 2003, you will be submitting \$15,980 to UDOGM as a financial guarantee for the operation, we will extend the deadline by which you must submit the bond until that date.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jerry Mansfield at (435) 743-3125, or Sheri Wysong at (435) 743-3124.

Sincerely,



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